

The last paragraph of MPEP § 808.02 states that where the classification is the same and the field of search is the same and there is no clear indication of separate future classification and field of search, no reasons exist for dividing among related inventions. According to the Examiner's present classification scheme, without acknowledging the correctness of its determination, Groups I and II are both in class 544. As such, Applicants read the classifications and the fields of search to be the same. For these reasons, Applicants request the restriction be withdrawn or reconsidered.

For the above reasons, Applicants submit that the restriction by the Examiner is improper and request that the restriction be withdrawn or reconsidered.

Respectfully submitted,



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